

Maxwell Honored at Special Town Meeting

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Outgoing *Clipper* Editor Paula Maxwell was honored with a proclamation by Duxbury selectmen at the special town meeting Monday night and received a standing ovation for her 18 years of service to the town and the weekly newspaper.

Selectmen praised Maxwell, who is moving soon to Cincinnati, Ohio with her family, for her dedication to covering the town and her integrity in her writing.

"Over the years, Paula Maxwell has written many stories about the accomplishments, concerns and passages of the townspeople in Duxbury," stated the proclamation. "The town of Duxbury, through the board of selectmen, thank and commend Paula Maxwell for her outstanding service to the community. Those who know her appreciate her integrity, love of family and love for the residents of the town of Duxbury."

Calling Maxwell an "institution at the Clipper," selectmen cited her work on at least 930 Clipper issues, 18 annual town meetings and a dozen special town meetings, and over 1,000 meetings of both the selectmen and the planning board.

Maxwell began at the Clipper in 1984, hired by founder/publisher John Cutler. She and her husband and three children have lived in Duxbury for 21 years.

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